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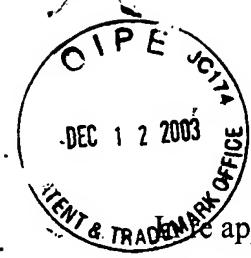
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In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed October 15, 2003, Applicants submit the following documents for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Copy of the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
2. Sequence listing in computer readable form (CRF) for the above referenced application, on a floppy disk;
3. Paper copy of the sequence listing; and
4. Statement Regarding Sequence Submission.

A paper copy of the Sequence Listing and a computer readable form (CRF) of the sequence listing on floppy diskette, containing the file named 16518-070 PUFA SeqList .txt, which is 24,093 bytes in size (measured in MS-DOS), and which was created on December 9, 2003, are herein incorporated by reference.

Remarks

The Sequence Listing is herewith being provided in computer readable form. Another paper copy is also being provided for convenience. No new matter has been added.

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